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## <u>By Fax</u>

Honorable Michael H. Dolinger United States Magistrate Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Room 1670 New York, New York 10007

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Nancy Marrero o/b/o N.V. v. Astrue

07 Civ. 9518 (LTS) (MHD)

Dear Judge Dolinger:

This Office represents the Commissioner of Social Security, defendant in the above-referenced action. On December 10, 2007, the Court granted defendant's request for an extension of time to respond to the complaint, from December 28, 2007, to February 26, 2008. Through an oversight on my part, I did not request that the November 19, 2007 briefing schedule requiring the defendant to move by January 25, 2008, be revised.

Therefore, with consent of plaintiff, I respectfully request an extension of the briefing schedule as follows: Defendant's motion for judgment on the pleadings would be due on March 10, 2008. Plaintiff's response would be due on April 9, 2008. Defendant's reply, if any, would be due on April 23, 2008.

This is defendant's first request for an extension of the briefing schedule.

Application grantes

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Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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